Supplementary information

Supplementary Appendix: The 75 research questions in Phase 2 in no particular order.

Priority	Research Question
1	Can imaging identify those who benefit from PCI over optimal medical
	treatment?
2	Is there a mortality/morbidity reduction through the wider use of CTCA?
3	Can CTCA replace functional imaging for stable angina?
4	How can the reliability of CTCA in heavily calcified vessels be improved?
5	What is the economic impact of CTFFR in routine practice?
6	How can we limit increases in downstream costs and healthcare
	utilisation after CTCA?
7	Can cardiovascular imaging be used to predict/improve outcomes in
	cardiomyopathy imaging?
8	What are the optimal features/markers of the vulnerable plaque?
9	What is the role of CTFFR in clinical practice?
10	Has the change of the NICE guidance resulted in more inappropriate
	CTCA referrals?
11	How can we limit increases in downstream costs and healthcare
	utilisation after CTCA?
12	How can we reduce the impact of calcification on CTCA diagnostic
	accuracy, in a radiation and time efficient manner?

13	Can we use artificial intelligence to enable decision support tools for the
	use of cardiovascular imaging?
14	Which patients do not need or derive no benefit from cardiovascular
	imaging?
15	Is there a combination of stenosis/CTFFR/plaque features that identify a
	situation where the benefit of a stent outweighs its risks?
16	What is the optimum Imaging/investigative strategy in acute coronary
	syndromes?
17	Can we standardise advanced MRI techniques? (e.g. late gadolinium
	enhancement quantification, mapping)
18	What is the role of Artificial Intelligence in cardiovascular disease?
19	Can we develop methods to improve accuracy in CTCA assessment of in-
	stent disease?
20	What are the outcomes of CTCA use in low risk ACS patients?
21	How can we best target cardiac imaging to optimise its yield in terms of
	outcomes and economic costs?
22	How do different cardiac imaging strategies affect downstream testing?
23	Do any advanced imaging modalities improve outcome in dilated
	cardiomyopathy?
24	Is there a role for early use of cardiac CT in confirmed / high risk ACS?
25	How useful are TAVI CTs in management decisions when many people
	who are worked up don't end up getting TAVI, is there a more cost-
	effective strategy to predict who needs TAVI CT?
26	What is the optimum follow-up interval for imaging of cardiovascular

	disease (e.g aneurysms, dissection)?
27	Can we derive robust T1 mapping reference values for different vendors?
28	Can we Identify and characterise biomarkers of sudden cardiac
	death/arrhythmias in order to develop better risk stratification tools?
29	Can Cardiac CT be used as a screening tool for high risk patients (such as
	in diabetes) to predict long term outcome?
30	How do different cardiac imaging strategies affect resource utilization?
31	How can we enhance the role of machine learning across the spectrum of
	cardiovascular imaging and facilitate its application in clinical practice?
32	Can we enable the molecular phenotyping of cardiomyopathy with
	cardiovascular imaging through the quantification of fibrosis/scar?
33	How can the availability/accessibility of advanced imaging be improved?
34	Can total plaque quantification provide better prognostic assessment
	than calcium scoring?
35	What is the impact of CT on outcome in surgical/transcutaneous valve
	insertion?
36	Does CTCA identification of non-obstructive coronary artery disease
	provide better stratification for the use of novel medical therapies for
	CAD? (PCSK9, canakinumab, SGLT2 inhibitor)
37	Is CACS superior/inferior/complementary to echo for the detection of
	severe AS and selecting for surgery/TAVR?
38	What is the value of baseline cross-sectional (MRI & CT) imaging for
	congenital heart disease?
39	Should CTCA or MRI be the baseline test in new onset dilated

	cardiomyopathy?
40	Is negative research in cardiovascular imaging being published in a
	useful way?
41	Does on site CTFFR facilitate improved work flow and patient outcome?
42	What imaging biomarkers can aid decision making in cardio-oncological
	patients?
43	Can we develop non-invasive methods for the evaluation of the
	haemodynamic significance of vascular disease (e.g. computational fluid
	dynamics) out with the coronary arteries?
44	What is the additional value of cardiac CT in structural heart disease
	compared with TOE?
45	Does standardized reporting improve communication of cardiac imaging
	findings?
46	What is the role of CTCA in established CAD?
47	Should cardiac CT be the first line test for aortic prosthetic valve
	dysfunction instead of TOE?
48	Is there a role for CTA/MRI in surgical valve replacement sizing/patient
	selection?
49	Can we identify barriers to MRI of all body systems for patients with
	implanted electronic cardiac devices?
50	How do different vendors/algorithms of FFRCT calculation compare in
	their impact on decision making and outcomes?
51	Can we examine the roles of CT and MRI in GUCH and develop more
	robust data for guiding intervention?
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52	What is the optimum follow-up interval for imaging in congenital heart
	disease?
53	How can PET services be better expanded/centralized to optimally meet
	the needs/demands of the population?
54	Should advice regarding downstream investigation and management be
	provided in the report of cardiovascular imaging?
55	What are the best ways to decrease side effects/harms of current
	imaging modalities? (e.g. radiation exposure, contrast agents,
	pharmacological stressors)
56	What is the best way to explain cardiac imaging to patients?
57	Are research findings being supported by funding where new ideas are
	being proven or put into clinical practice?
58	What are contemporary radiation doses of all cardiac imaging
	modalities, including invasive and non-invasive imaging?
59	Can serial assessment of plaque be used as a surrogate marker of disease
	progression/treatment response?
60	What role does PET imaging have in the assessment of cardiovascular
	disease when many don't have access to it?
61	Can CTCA +\- MRI replace the need for ICA and biopsy in the follow-up of
	cardiac transplants?
62	Which biomarkers best aid clinical decision making for valvular heart
	disease?
63	Does onsite or remote reporting of cardiac CT impact
	quality/speed/access?

64	Comparison of image quality and radiation dose across all vendors in
	coronary, valve and functional imaging?
65	How does exercise impact coronary plaque remodeling?
66	Is assessment of plaque morphology on CTCA improved using ultra high
	density scanners?
67	What is the role of functional cardiac CT imaging in clinical practice?
68	Can we develop accelerated 4D flow acquisitions and rapid evaluation
	workflows?
69	What is the impact of Radiomics with respect to imaging biomarkers that
	inform clinical decision making?
70	What coronary arterial/cardiovascular remodeling occur secondary to
	ageing?
71	What is the role for molecular cardiovascular imaging?
72	Does low dose radiation dose calcium scoring affect the results of calcium
	quantification?
73	What is the value of IPH (intraplaque haemorrhage) and other markers
	of risk in stratifying patients for CEA (carotid endarectomy)?
74	What is the role of CFD (computation fluid dynamics) in transcatheter
	valve planning, and can this become streamlined/standarised enough to
	enter clinical practice?
75	Can imaging identify those who benefit from PCI over optimal medical
	treatment?